

MA SOCIOLOGY
SECOND SEMESTER
FAMILY, KINSHIP & MARRIAGE
MSO - 203

(USE SEPARATE ANSWER SCRIPTS FOR OBJECTIVE & DESCRIPTIVE)

Duration: 3 hrs.

Full Marks: 70

[PART-A: Objective]

Time: 20 min.

Marks: 20

Choose the correct answer from the following:

1 × 20 = 20

1. Kinship determines blood relations
 - a. True
 - b. Not True
 - c. False
 - d. None of the above
2. Incest means sexual relationship with
 - a. Blood Relatives
 - b. Friends
 - c. Colleagues
 - d. Neighbours
3. Descent theory is known as Lineage theory
 - a. True
 - b. Partially True
 - c. False
 - d. None of the above
4. Alliance theory is known as General theory of Exchange
 - a. False
 - b. Not true
 - c. True
 - d. None of the above
5. The process of breaking up a Joint Family starts from -
 - a. Industrialization
 - b. Globalization
 - c. Secularism
 - d. Self-realization
6. Who is the proponent of Alliance theory
 - a. Claude Levi Strauss
 - b. Mahatma Gandhi
 - c. Max Weber
 - d. Erving Goffman
7. Choose the correct types of descent
 - a. Patrilineal and Matrilineal
 - b. Patrilocal and Matrilocal
 - c. Conjugal and Cohabiting
 - d. Comparative and Historical
8. The primary requisite for a household is a common cooking pot
 - a. True
 - b. Not true
 - c. False
 - d. All of the above
9. In which type of family, the wife lives at her husband's home after marriage?
 - a. Patrilocal
 - b. Neo-local
 - c. Matrilocal
 - d. None of the above
10. Joint family system is an essential part of Indian Family system
 - a. True
 - b. Not true
 - c. False
 - d. None of the above

11. Polygamy is a type of marriage with
 - a. One partner
 - b. No partners
 - c. Multiple partners
 - d. None of the above
12. Family teaches a child his/her first interaction with gender roles
 - a. True
 - b. Not true
 - c. False
 - d. None of the above
13. Marriage is important because
 - a. It is an important bond between husband and wife
 - b. It aims at procreation and maintenance of children
 - c. It regulates social harmony
 - d. All of the above
14. Polygamy is of two types-polygyny and polyandry
 - a. True
 - b. Neither True, Neither False
 - c. False
 - d. None of the above
15. Exogamy is?
 - a. Custom requiring a person to marry within his/her social group
 - b. Custom requiring a person to marry outside his/her social group
 - c. Custom requiring a person to marry his/her blood relatives
 - d. Custom requiring a person to marry his/her country
16. Correct meaning of IVF is?
 - a. In-Vitro Fertilization
 - b. In-vice Fertilization
 - c. In-Viral Fertilization
 - d. None of the above
17. Surrogacy is a form of _____motherhood.
 - a. NRT system induced
 - b. British form
 - c. Traditional form
 - d. Classical Form
18. Meaning of NRT is?
 - a. New Reproductive Technology
 - b. New Redemption Technology
 - c. New Revitalization Technology
 - d. New Residual Technology
19. Honour killing is an act of violence especially seen in Indian society
 - a. True
 - b. Not true
 - c. False
 - d. False
20. Dowry involves
 - a. Gifting cash and kind to the bride from her family
 - b. Gifting cash and kind to elders
 - c. Gifting cash and kind to neighbor
 - d. Gifting cash and kind to government

PART-B : Descriptive

Time : 2 hrs. 40 min.

Marks : 50

[Answer question no.1 & any four (4) from the rest]

1. Write short notes on Descent & Alliance theory. 10
2. Discuss the concept of Consanguinity. 10
3. Write a note on Lineage. 10
4. What is NRT (New Reproductive Technology)? What is the impact of NRT on kinship relations? 2+8=10
5. Define Family. Discuss the dimensions of change in Family structure in modern times. 2+8=10
6. Discuss the role of Family in socializing Gender norms. 10
7. Discuss the role of technology in bringing change in family system. 10
8. Discuss the form of Marriages in society. 10

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